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Au Courant by Alexandra

selected, the trips suitably worn, by Mrs. W. Stuart Symington, Mrs. Emer-
son Bigelow's pink-petaled hat
Senora Estevez Fernandes' white
cloche over her dark hair. The
House and Embassy tour on April
14th will include the Japanese
Embassy, the French Embassy,
and the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Morris Gafritz. Tickets may be
purchased at the door.

Montgomery, Alabama

At the Junior League Ball to be held tomorrow evening, April 13, the ball chairman, Mrs. George C. McGhee, and Mr. McGhee will include at their table the Ambassador of the Netherlands and Mme. van Roijen, the Belgian Ambassador and Baroness Slijverenij, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Parks.

The Ball de Tete will be a dinner-dance at the Sheraton-Park Hotel for the benefit of the Clinic for Mentally Retarded Children, Georgetown Medical Center. Mrs. Mesta will attend and Lester Lenjan and his orchestra will play.

The Executive Committee of the Southern Cross Club will be entertained by the President, Mrs. R. G. Brown, at her home at 2732 O Street on Monday April 9th. The aim of the Club is to encourage friendship and understanding between the United States and her neighbors from Australia. In Mrs. Brown's charming living room which reflects her Australian background and sojourn in the East, the Committee will discuss tenth anniversary plans and the garden party to be held in May.

Georgetown was well represented at the dinner party given last Thursday evening by the Undersecretary of the Army and Mrs. James H. Douglas of Georgetown, in honor of the Secretary of the Air Force and Mrs. Donald Quarles. There were 125 guests in all at the dinner which was held at Bolling Field Officers Club, with music provided by the "Singing Strings." Mrs. Lauriston Hardin, Jr., Mrs. Frank Wigner, Joe Bryan, Perry Wheeler, and James Snitzler, were among the many there from Georgetown. Also, Gates Lloyd, whose wife is on tour around the world, and Mrs. Lewis Thompson, whose husband is recuperating rapidly from an illness. He has just returned home from Georgetown Hospital.

At Mrs. Herbert Hoover, Jr.'s, tea on April 3, for House and Embassy Tour hostesses, we noted especially the all-gray costume worn by Mrs. Edward R. Flcken-

Representative and Mrs. Lawrence Curtis have returned from a week's vacation in Florida . . . Admiral and Mrs. Neill Phillips are back from Hobe Sound, Florida, where they visited Mrs. Phillips' mother, Mrs. E. Hendrick of New York . . . Mrs. "Oatsie" Leiter has returned from Mont-